

“WHAT’S NEW IN MUNICIPAL LAW” 2013

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2013
LOG CABIN BANQUET & MEETING HOUSE
HOLYOKE, MA

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2013
THE LANTANA
RANDOLPH, MA

AGENDA

REGISTRATION: **8:15 AM - 9:00 AM**
Continental Breakfast

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT: **9:00 AM - 9:30 AM**
Robert Nunes, Deputy Commissioner of the Division of Local Services

GENERAL SESSION: **9:30 AM - 12:15 PM**
The Division of Local Services Legal Staff presents the latest from the Legislature and the Courts and conducts a panel discussion on local tax and payment in lieu of tax agreements, such as those related to economic development, energy generation and exempt institutions.

LUNCHEON: **12:15 PM - 1:30 PM**
Menu: Salad, Entrée, Chef’s Selection of Starch and Vegetables, Coffee/Tea and Dessert

AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS **1:30 PM - 3:00 PM**
You may attend one of three concurrent workshops:

Workshop A. Betterments and Liens. A review of issues related to the assessment and collection of betterments and municipal fees and charges.

Workshop B. Special Funds. A discussion of current municipal finance issues, including new and recurring enterprise, community preservation and other special fund issues.

Workshop C. Local Employees. An exploration of municipal personnel and workforce issues.

SEMINAR MATERIALS

Morning presentation slides and afternoon workshop materials will be distributed at the seminars. They will also be posted online after the October 4, 2013 seminar.

Reference books containing this year’s legislation and cases will be available online before the seminars. You do not have to bring them to the seminars.